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**AS SUWAYDA AIRFIELD WEST  
SYRIA  
32-42N 036-25E**

MISSION GR XA010, 10 DECEMBER 1973



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REFERENCE TO: GIANT REACH MISSION XA010,

AS SUWAYDA AIRFIELD WEST  
SYRIA

1. SIGNIFICANCE: AN AIRFIELD IN THE EARLY STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION  
 WAS OBSERVED NEAR AS SUWAYDA.

2. LOCATION: AS SUWAYDA AIRFIELD WEST [REDACTED] IS  
 10 NAUTICAL MILES (NM) SOUTH-SOUTHWEST OF AS  
 SUWAYDA AT 32-42-10N 036-25-31E.

3. MISSION READOUT: THE AIRFIELD CONSISTED OF A NORTH-NORTHEAST/  
 SOUTH-SOUTHWEST RUNWAY, APPROXIMATELY 9,920 FEET LONG, WHICH HAD  
 UNDERGONE INITIAL GRADING. IN ADDITION, THERE WERE TWO PROBABLE  
 PARKING APRONS, THREE HANGARETTES AND ONE POSSIBLE HANGARETTE UNDER  
 CONSTRUCTION.

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